



2010  
BREAKING TRADITIONS  
BEST PRACTICES AWARD

**PREPARING STUDENTS  
FOR NONTRADITIONAL CAREERS**

~ Winner will be featured in the fall "CTE in Tennessee" newsletter ~

The Career and Technical Education (CTE) Division of the Tennessee Department of Education would like to recognize a high school CTE Best Practice that successfully promotes nontraditional courses to students.

To be considered for the "Breaking Traditions Best Practice" award, simply answer the questions below in a 500 words or less summary.

- ✓ **How does the best practice/strategy remove barriers that prevent students from making informed education and career choices?**
- ✓ **What impact has this practice had on the number of students taking a nontraditional pathway in your school?**
- ✓ **What data or evidence do you have that supports your best practice?**

**Must be postmarked on or before  
June 1, 2010**

**or**

**Attach to e-mail on or before  
June 1, 2010**

Send to:

**Nontraditional Award**  
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